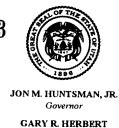
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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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January 21, 2009

Dave Shaver, Manager West Ridge Resources, Inc. P.O. Box 910 East Carbon, Utah 84520-0910

Subject: Determination of Completeness for Permit Renewal/Approval of Amendment Task ID

#3082, West Ridge Resources, Inc., West Ridge Mine, C/007/0041, Outgoing File

Dear Mr. Shaver:

The Division received your application for renewal of the West Ridge Mine permit on November 18, 2008 with additional information supplied on December 22, 2008. An initial review of the submitted information indicates that the application is now administratively complete. We are also approving the revised Chapter 1 information that you provided for incorporation to the approved MRP. A stamped incorporated copy is enclosed for your records.

Because of the strict time frames associated with public notice for a renewal application, you should immediately proceed with publication as required by R645-300-121. At the same time you should ensure that a copy of your current plan is filed with the county recorder. A copy of the Affidavit of Publication should be forwarded to the Division for insertion into the Mining and Reclamation Plan as soon as it is available.

Sincerely,

Daron R. Haddock Permit Supervisor

DRH/sqs Enclosure

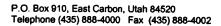
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Utah Division of Oil, Gas & Mining **Utah Coal Program** 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210 P.O.Box 145801 Salt Lake City, UT 84114-5801

December 18, 2008

Attn: Daron Haddock

**Permit Supervisor** 

Re:

West Ridge Mine C/007/041

Permit Renewal

Response to Deficiencies, Task # 3082)

#### Dear Mr. Haddock:

Enclosed are six (6) copies of the revised draft public notice for the West Ridge Mine Permit renewal. This notice includes the legal description for both the overall permit area and the disturbed area. Also enclosed is a listing of Murray Energy Holdings Co. Officers and Directors signed by ther Secretary of the company. This information was requested by Priscilla Burton.

Please note that I have amended Table 1-4 of Chapter 1, which is the Legal Description of Permit Area. There was a typo for the legal for the pumping station.

If you have questions or comments please contact me at (435) 888-4017.

Singerely.

Resident Agent

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# Application for Permit Processing Detailed Schedule of Changes to the MRP

	Title	of	Appli	ication:
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Revised public notice for permit renewal

Permit Number:

C/007/041

Mine: WEST RIDGE MINE

Permittee: WEST RIDGE RESOURCES

Provide a detailed listing of all changes to the mining and reclamation plan which will be required as a result of this proposed permit application. Individually list all maps and drawings which are to be added, replaced, or removed from the plan. Include changes of the table of contents, section of the plan, pages, or other information as needed to specifically locate, identify and revise the existing mining and reclamation plan. Include page, section and drawing numbers as part of the description.

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Any other specific or special instructions required for insertion of this proposal into the Mining and Reclamation Plan?

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### TABLE 1-4 LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PERMIT AREA

PARCEL	ACREAGE	LEGAL DESCRIPTION	
FEDERAL LEASE SL-068754-U-01215	2,570.67	T 14 S, R 13 E	
		Section 10: NE¼, N½SE¼, E½NW¼	
		Section 11: All	
		Section 12: S½SW¼, NW¼SW¼	
		Section 13: NW1/4,, S1/2, S1/2NE1/4, NW	'4NE'4
		Section 14: E½, N½NW¼, SE¼NW¼	
		Section 24: N½SE¼, N½, NE¼SW¼	
FEDERAL LEASE SL-068754 (Lease Modification)	80.0	T 14 S, R 13 E	
(		Section 10: SE¼ SE¼	
		Section 15: NE¼ NE¼	
FEDERAL LEASE UTU-78562	1,646.34	T 13 S, R13 E	
		Section 35: SE¼, S½ SW¼	
		T 14 S, R 13 E	
		Section 1: Lots 2-7 S½NW¼, SW¼, W ½SE¼,	SW¼ NE¼
		Section 12: Lots 1-4 S½ N½, SE¼, NE¼ SW¼	
		Section 13: NE¼ NE¼	
		T 14 S, R 14 E	
		Section 6: Lot 6	
		Section 7: Lots 3 and 4	
		Section 18: Lot 1 E½ NW¼	

### TABLE 1-4 (CONTINUED) LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PERMIT AREA

PARCEL	ACREAGE	LEGAL DESCRIPTION
STATE LEASE ML 47711	801.24	T 14 S, R 13 E Section 2: Lots 1 thru 4, S½N½, S½ T 13 S, R 13 E Section 36: SW¼
STATE LEASE ML 49287	881.10	T 14 S, R 13 E Section 3: Lots 1,2,3, S½N½, S½ Section 10: W½NW¼, SW¼, SW¼SE¼
PENTA CREEK FEE LEASE	124.92	T 14 S, R 14 E Section 7: SE¼SW¼,* SW¼NE¼SW¼* Section 18: Lots 2, 3
PUMPING STATION (BLM R.O.W. UTU-77120	0.23	T 14 S, R 13 E Section 21: SE¼NE¼
TOPSOIL SALVAGE AREA (SITLA special use agreement #1163)	9.6	T 14 S, R 13 E Section 16: NE¼SE¼
SECURITY GATE (Carbon County authorization)	0.79	T 14 S, R 13 E Section 15: NW4SE4NE4

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TOTAL PERMIT AREA